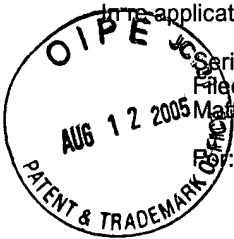


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Re: Attorney Docket No. Bessios 3



In re application of: Anthony Bessios

Serial No.: 10/035,928

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Group Art Unit: 2633

Examiner: Leung, Christina V.

Phone No.: 571-272-3023

Re: Compensation of Polarization Mode Dispersion In Single Mode Fiber for Maximum-Likelihood Sequence Estimation

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ No additional fee for claims is required.

	Claims After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Additional Fee
Total	35	minus 25 =	10 x 50 =	\$500
Independent	11	minus 3 =	8 x 200 =	\$1,600
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if applicable			0 x 360 =	\$0
			TOTAL FEE	\$2,100

☐ It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 C.F.R. §1.17 is calculated as shown below.

Response filed within:

☐ first - \$ 120.00

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☐ fifth - \$2,160.00

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☐ Please charge **Mendelsohn & Associates, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-0782** the amount of \$_____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 50-0782**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

☒ Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

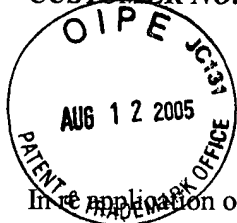
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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Dear Sir:

In response to the office action of 06/02/05, please amend the application as follows:

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Certification Under 37 CFR 1.8

Date of Deposit 8/10/05

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited in the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail under 37 CFR 1.8 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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